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In re patent application of:) Before the Examiner
Rodney D. Borst) Edmund H. Lee
Serial No.: 10/051,566) Group Art Unit 1732
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INWARDLY EXTENDING CUT LIP) December 14, 2006

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 15, 2006, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Also enclosed is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$395 for the RCE to the credit card provided in the electronic submission of this document. Additionally, a request for a three-month extension of time, to and including December 15, 2006, and the fee for it are both provided in the electronic submission of this document. No other fees are believed to be due; however, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 23-3030, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

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